

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Brenda F. Baker, et al.

Application No.: 10/859,825

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For: Chimeric Oligomeric Compounds and Their Use in Gene Modulation

Confirmation No.: 7654

Group Art Unit: 1635

Examiner: Jennifer S. Pittrak

**AMENDMENT, REQUEST AND PROCESSING FEE DELETING CORRECTLY
NAMED ORIGINAL PERSON(S) WHO ARE NOT INVENTOR(S) OF INVENTION
NOW BEING CLAIMED - NONPROVISIONAL
(37 CFR § 1.48(b))**

1. This amendment and request under 37 CFR § 1.48(b) is to delete the names of the following persons originally named as inventors and who are not the inventors of the invention now being claimed:

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The pending claims in this application are as follows:

1, 8, 11, 12, 116 and 127-129

2. Processing Fee (37 CFR § 1.17(h))

The processing fee required is paid as follows:

A check in the amount of **\$130.00** is attached.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-3050 in the amount of **\$130.00**.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment of the fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-3050.

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